

# How the Marketplace Works



## Create an account

First provide some basic information. Then choose a password and security questions for added protection.

## Apply

Next you'll enter information about you and your family, including your income, household size, other coverage you're eligible for, and more.

Learn how to get ready to enroll at **HealthCare.gov**.

## Pick a plan

Next you'll see all the plans and programs you're eligible for. You can compare health plans side-by-side.

You'll also see if you can get lower costs on monthly premiums and other savings based on your income.

## Enroll

Choose a plan that meets your needs and enroll!

Coverage starts as soon as January 1, 2015.

